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| Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary | Application No. | Applicant(s) |
| | 10/010,890 | SAKAMOTO ET AL. |
| | Examiner | Art Unit |
| | Alonzo Chambliss | 2827 |

All Participants:

(1) Alonzo Chambliss.

Status of Application: Notice of allowance is forthcoming.

(3) _____.

(2) Samuel Borodach.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 8/4/03

Time: 2:30PM

Type of Interview:

- Telephonic
 Video Conference
 Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description: .

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

112 2nd paragraph and non-statutory obviousness double patent

Claims discussed:

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Prior art documents discussed:

US 6,548,328

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: applicant's attorney was called to suggest deleting " forming " and inserting -- exposing -- into independent claim 1 to avoid a potential 112 2nd paragraph rejection and to fax in a terminal disclaimer to prevent a non-statutory obviousness double patenting rejection using US 6,548,328. Applicant received authorization from the client to make the above suggestions and faxed over an amendment to claim 1 and a terminal disclaimer. Therefore, a notice of allowance is forthcoming. .